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Applicants : Chong-Jin Oon, et al.  
U.S. Serial No.: 09/362,394  
Filed : July 28, 1999  
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Sir:

COMMUNICATION REQUESTING CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

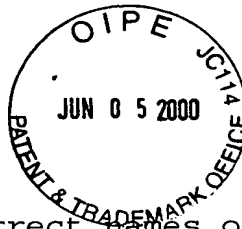
This Communication is filed to request the issuance of a corrected Filing Receipt in connection with the above-identified application. Upon receipt of the official Filing Receipt for the subject application, a copy of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**, applicants' undersigned attorney noticed an error. Specifically, under "Applicants" the following now appears:

--CHONG-JIN OON, SINGAPORE, SINGAPORE; WEI-NING CHEN, SINGAPORE,  
SINGAPORE; AI-LIN LEONG, SINGAPORE, SINGAPORE; KOH SHIUAN,  
SINGAPORE, SINGAPORE.--

A corrected Filing Receipt should read as follows:

--CHONG-JIN OON, SINGAPORE, SINGAPORE; WEI-NING CHEN, SINGAPORE,  
SINGAPORE; AI-LIN LEONG, SINGAPORE, SINGAPORE; **SHIUAN KOH**,  
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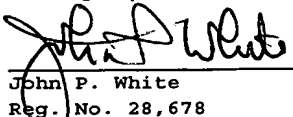
Applicants contend that the correct names of the applicants may be found in the Declaration and Power of Attorney filed on November 18, 1999 with the Communication In Response To August 18, 1999 Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application. A copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached hereto as **Exhibit B**. Accordingly, applicants request that a corrected Filing Receipt be issued.

No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Communication. However, if any fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

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